

# The Adair County News.

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## DIRECTORY.

### POST OFFICE.

J. M. RUSSELL, POSTMASTER.  
PETE CONOVER, DEPUTY.  
Office hours, week days, 7:30 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.

### COURT.

**Circuit Court.**—Three sessions a year—Third Monday in January, third Monday in May and third Monday in September.  
Circuit Judge.—H. C. Baker.  
Commonwealth's Attorney.—A. A. Huddleston.  
Sheriff.—W. B. Patterson.  
Circuit Clerk.—J. F. West.

**County Court.**—First Monday in each month.  
Judge.—Junius Hancock.  
County Attorney.—G. F. Slaughter.  
Clerk.—T. R. Shultz.  
Jailer.—A. W. Tarter.  
Assessor.—C. W. Price.  
Surveyor.—W. M. McCubbin.  
School Supt.—Mrs. G. R. Smith.  
Coroner.—C. W. Rowe.

**CITY COURT.**  
Mayor.—Capt. W. B. Bradshaw.  
Judge.—Attorney.—Gordon Montgomery.  
Marshal.—S. C. Strango.

### CHURCH.

#### PRESBYTERIAN.

**BURKESVILLE STREET.**—Rev. W. C. Clemens, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday-school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Praying meeting Wednesday night.

#### METHODIST.

**BURKESVILLE STREET.**—Rev. A. R. Kasey, pastor. Services 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Sundays in each month. Sunday-school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Praying meeting Thursday night.

#### BAPTIST.

**GREENSBURG STREET.**—Rev. A. R. Kasey, pastor. First and third Sundays in each month. Sunday-school every Sabbath at 9 a. m. Praying meeting Wednesday night.

#### CHRISTIAN.

**CAMPBELLVILLE FIRM.**—Ed. Z. T. Williams, pastor. Services second and fourth Sundays in each month. Sunday-school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Praying meeting Wednesday night.

### LODGE.

#### MASONIC.

**COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 26, F. and A. M.**—Regular meeting in their hall, over bank, on Friday night or on before the full moon in each month.  
Gordon Montgomery, W. M.  
E. G. Atkins, Secretary.

**COLUMBIA CHAPTER, R. A. M., No. 7.** meets Friday night after full moon.  
SAM LEWIS, H. P.  
Horace Jeffries, Secretary.

**COLUMBIA COUNCIL, U. D.** meets 2nd Friday night after full moon in each month.  
E. G. ATKINS, T. E. M.  
T. R. STULTZ, Recorder.

### CITIZENS LIFE INSURANCE CO., LOUISVILLE, KY.

I am representing the above named company in Adair and adjoining counties. It is one of the best companies doing business, and has written an immense lot of insurance since its organization. It is a home company and home people should place their business with it. For further information see

J. H. GOFF, Agent.

**Hotel and Restaurant**  
W. N. Brinton & Son,  
Proprietors  
Lunch at all hours day or night.  
COMFORTABLE ROOMS.  
The trade of Adair and adjoining counties solicited.  
LEBANON, - - KENTUCKY.  
GREEN RIVER FARM FOR SALE.

My farm 1 mile south of Little Lake on Green river containing 304 acres 1 mile from church and school. Good buildings of all kinds, 2 good orchards and is a desirable home. Has ample timber for keeping up the farm and \$400 of merchantable timber standing. There are 48 acres of bottom land worth more than I ask for the entire farm. This is your chance if you want a good home and profitable farm. W. L. RIGNEY, Purdy Ky. 26-4m

### LEFT THE CHILD.

An occurrence wrapped in mystery has put the whole Dunnville community to its wits, and it looks like the mystery will remain in darkness. The story, which is perfectly reliable, is as follows: Last Thursday night Mr. B. F. Kasey, straw, the well-known lumber dealer of Campbellville, and a high gentleman, was stopping at the Combett Hotel, in Dunnville, and from him this information is gathered: About the midnight hour there was a knock at the hotel door. Mr. Combett asked the occasion of it, and was told that it was a friend who wanted to get in and remain over night. Mr. Combett got up, opened the door and instantly a woman brushed by him, laid a bundle on the table, and without speaking hurried out. Mr. Combett examined the package and found that it contained a live child. A physician was summoned, who stated that the infant was not more than three hours old. It was cared for until morning, then turned over to the Judge of the Casey county Court. The people of Dunnville say they have not the least conception as to who the mother of the child is.

### BEN F. HUNTER DEAD.

Mr. Ben F. Hunter, who left this county thirteen years ago, going to Texas, but shortly returned to Kentucky, located at Bradfordsville, in Mari county, died in Hendersonville, N. C., Friday morning. He was a victim of pulmonary trouble and had been an invalid for more than a year. He was about thirty-six years old, and before his health failed, was an active business man. He was a brother of Messrs. J. J. and Josiah Hunter, of Grayville, and the latter was with him when the end came.

The deceased leaves a wife, (who is a daughter of Mr. J. C. Yates) and three children. The interment was at Bradfordsville last Saturday, many relatives and friends being present. Consumption is a flattering disease, victims of it generally believing that they will recover. One week before the death of Mr. Hunter he left Bradfordsville for Hendersonville, N. C. believing that the climate and water in that locality would benefit him.

Our sympathy is extended to the wife, children, brothers and friends.

Last Thursday morning a report was spread over this community that Mr. Henry M. Kemp, of Columbia, but who has been employed as book-keeper at an Athertonville distillery for several years, was dangerously ill, and that friends were accompanying him to this place. This intelligence brought sorrow to the whole town and greatly alarmed Mr. Kemp's immediate family. Mr. Geo. A. Kemp, father of the young man, quickly called up Athertonville and was answered by his son, who stated that he was at his desk and in his usual health. This of course was a great relief. The occasion of the report is thought to be this: Some days ago Mr. Kemp was violently attacked with flux and was seriously ill. At that time he was contemplating coming home. A friend who lives several miles from Athertonville, and knowing of Henry's condition and the proposed trip home, wrote to a friend here, stating that he was dangerously ill, and asked if he had reached Columbia. We are truly glad that the report was unfounded, and hope that Henry will visit his old home at an early day.

Mrs. Mary Harvey, who is recognized as one of the best teachers in Adair county, opened school in the East Columbia precinct with flattering prospects. The attendance at this time is much larger than usual, evincing that the teacher is highly appreciated by parents and pupils as an instructor. Mrs. Harvey takes a great interest in her pupils, and is a disciplinarian, second to no teacher in the county.

### TO THE TAXPAYERS OF ADAIR COUNTY.

I have just received from the State Board of Equalization notice of the property valuation as fixed by the Board for Adair County. Before receiving this notice I could not, under the law, collect the taxes. As the time is so short in which to collect them, I ask the tax payers to be prompt in the payment of them that I may be ready for the settlements and payments required of me by law. My office at Columbia is open at all times for the collection of taxes. I will also fix times and places in the different precincts at which I, or one of my Deputies, will expect all parties who have not paid before to meet us and pay. Under the present law Sheriffs are required to report and pay the Auditor State Taxes a month earlier than heretofore, and to report all persons delinquents who have not paid before that time.

The above notice is intended for every person owing Taxes in Adair County—owing State or county Taxes—for the year 1906. Every tax payer is to be treated alike no favorites in it. I am not at the present time looking for votes or promises, but Taxes only.

W. B. PATTERSON, Sheriff.  
July 5, 1906.

### OBITUARY.

July 17, 1906, the sweet baby spirit of little S. T. Irvin flitted across the fair river of crystal wandering water, into a flowery border of paradise from whence it came.

Little S. T. was the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Irvin, of Baker, Ky. He was born November 2nd, 1905. Though his stay on earth was short, those precious baby hands and prattling voice left their mark on heart and brain, and the love that once was his, will now be links of gold to bind the hearts to heaven.

"Ah, dream too bright to last!  
Ah, stary hope! that dlist arise  
But to be overcast!"

Dear parents the mournful night you beheld the withering blight upon thy darlings fair sweet brow, your hearts were torn with untold pain, but since the first keen burst of anguish is over can you not say our Father's will was best, since you possess so great a jewel in heaven? In the future when memory turns to gaze upon the past, when angel wings hovered 'round the tiny coffin bed, you will think of heaven with thankfulness for freeing your baby from the withering mace that bounds life's thorny track, and giving him a home of happiness and rest. Oh! what joy 'twill be when with little brother and sister left behind, you tread the path that leads to the golden gate and receive a loving welcome from little S. T.

In printing the News it some times occurs that two papers go through the press at the same time, leaving one side of one of the sheets blank. In making the last run this is not noticed, and occasionally a subscriber receives his paper with two blank pages. This misprint, however, does not occur more than once or twice in printing ten thousand papers. This notice is directed to any subscriber who may receive the News with two blank pages in order that he may come to the office and be furnished with a complete sheet.

The Standard Hardwood Lumber Company, of Buffalo, New York, will have a saw mill in operation in this place in a few weeks. It will be located near the roller mill. Mr. W. D. Frazier, of Puleask, Tenn., is the manager. He has arrived in Columbia with his family and is occupying the residence on Jamestown street, owned by Mr. Ray Conover. Mr. Frazier comes to Columbia highly recommended, and our people are glad to have him and his estimable little family with us.

### Twenty days until the Fair.

This office wants a copy of the News of June 12.

Judge Baker will open court at Tompkinsville next Monday.

The Standard Oil Co., is surrendering its leases in Cumberland county.

Rev. Jo Goodman is conducting a series of meetings at Clear Spring.

Buy your fruit Jars, rubbers and Stone Jars at SINGLAR'S. (38-1)

Mr. John Morrison has about completed his beautiful residence near the roller mill.

Information has been received by the management that there will be an abundance of stock at the Fair.

WANTED:—Two white girls for waiters at the Columbia Hotel. Come well recommended. SMITH & NELL.

Next Monday will be County Court. If you come to Columbia and are indebted to the News, call and make payment.

The premium list of the Columbia Fair is published elsewhere in this paper. The catalogues are about ready to send out.

I have today marked down a lot of lawns and white goods to close out at a bargain. See lawns go at 5; 12½ lawns, 7½ cents. W. L. WALKER.

The bridge over Russell creek on the Stanford road has been given a fresh coat of paint, changing its color from black to red.

The District Conference of the Ministers of the United Brethren Church was held at Nell, this county beginning last Thursday.

All notes and accounts due me must be settled. If not settled by July 1st you may expect a personal dun or statement. W. L. WALKER.

The old horse will not be compelled to face an empty rack in this part of the state next Winter. There are many big hay stacks in every direction.

The Record kept by the late Judge J. W. Atkins is missing. If any person knows where it is, the information is wanted at this office. 38-2

FOR SALE:—My house and lot in the Tull addition, one-quarter of mile from Court-house in the town of Columbia. (36-34) W. H. EURANK.

Neal Allen, of color, charged with being implicated in a murder case, was tried in the Cumberland Circuit Court last week, and given five years in the penitentiary.

The statement made in last week's paper that C. C. Christie lost thirteen mules in the flood, was incorrect. The mules were washed down Caney Fork, but were rescued.

Lace curtains at a bargain. All lace curtains in stock have been cut down to a remarkably low price. Now is the time to get a bargain.

W. L. WALKER.

STRAYED:—From our pasture a red sorrel horse mule, about 6 or 7 years old. A brown mare mule 7 years old.

YOUNG & COFFEY,  
(tf) Columbia, Ky.

Insure in The Farmers Home Insurance Company, of Junction City, Ky. The only company in the State that makes any claim of paying their losses in full. (tf) S. I. BLAIR, Agt.

Tin Work, roofing, guttering and all kinds of work in tin done in first class order. We are ready to meet the demands in town or country. We make well tubing, buckets etc. If you need any tin work call on us. Located over Bennett's store. LOWN BROS. & MOON, Columbia, Ky. 36-1 m

### HAPPY RECEPTION.

Special to the Louisville Times.

Midway, Ky., July 24.—Burford Lodge, No. 494, F. and A. M., of this city, gave an informal reception last night in their hall in the Masonic Temple in honor of the Hon. James Garnett, of Columbia, Grand Master of Kentucky, who has been the guest of relatives here this week. About sixty guests were present, including the wives and daughters of many of the members of the lodge. A mock session of the lodge was held, which afforded great amusement to the visitors. Short impromptu speeches were made by some of the leading members. The principal address of the evening was made by Grand Master Garnett, who captivated his hearers by his eloquence. Light refreshments were served and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all.

The full damage done by the heavy rain of a few days ago is hard to estimate, but to say the least of it, the section in its main path never had such a downpour. The hillsides overgrown were never known before, crops in the bottoms were swept away and much fencing disappeared. We are informed that Mr. Henry Henson's loss on his Green river farm is near \$500. On a small creek that empties into the river near Mr. Henson's known as Butler's creek, all the crops, fencing and many other things were washed away. Clem Barnett's Kitchen and smokehouse with all their contents were destroyed by the flood. Chickens and turkeys were nearly all destroyed. A mill belonging to Mart Corbin, on Snake creek, went with the tide. Nearly every person in the Green river section of the county sustained considerable loss. Those whose loss was greatest and most acute are being helped by their neighbors, who are rebuilding fences and giving other aid. The fact is, that calamity has driven the people back to their old brotherly way of doing.

Rev. A. R. Kasey's theme last Sunday night was on covetousness, and he brought out a number of strong points against hoarding up for self. As we understood him, doing something for your fellow man without material inconvenience to self, was a greater passport to the celestial city than laying up riches for future use. To have consideration for your fellows is a noble principle. The speaker said that at one time there was a blind beggar seated on the corner in a large city. He had an old violin, but he was not a musician, and the instrument was out of tune, but he was trying to make music for alms. A musician passing, stopped and engaged the beggar in conversation, and in the talk he said: "I have no money," but he took the violin, tuned it, and commenced playing. In a few minutes a large crowd had gathered, and in a short time the blind man's cup was filled with coin. This was an evidence of sympathy. The blind was not only relieved, but the musician was made to feel good.

The Public sale of lots last Thursday was fairly well attended, but only five were sold, ranging in price from \$35 to \$115. It appeared that the people were not yet ready to buy, as the auction gave them an opportunity, so the sale was declared off. The location is a beautiful one, and Mr. Mulligan had the property in nice shape, except the main street to be opened intersecting the Lindsay-Wilson street in front of the college building. He had a statement from Governor J. R. Hindman regarding this that should have satisfied prospective purchasers, but in our judgment this was the only hindrance to the sale. When that street is opened we predict that the Mulligan addition will prove one of the most inviting localities for beautiful residences in Columbia. The opening of that street will be of much worth to all parties interested in that section or in the growth of Columbia.

### GRIFFIN SPRINGS.

Adair County has access to a summer resort that is fast becoming popular with the people in Southern and western portions of the State. It is Griffin Springs, about nine miles north east of Columbia, located among some of the most beautiful and picturesque scenery in Kentucky. The sulphur water is invigorating and health giving, and it is an ideal place for persons so desiring, to spend a few weeks during the hot summer months. Mr. R. L. Faulkner is owner and proprietor of the place and he has a large and commodious hotel for the accommodation of guests and the courtesies extended to the visitors are many and of the highest order. The luxurious table that he spreads before his guests is one of the main features that is pleasing to the eye of the sojourners during their stay there. During the past week the hotel was crowded with visitors, and among those registered were the following: Several of the Mr. Sanders and families; Mr. and Mrs. Edwards; Misses Nell Sanders; Nina Taylor; Burnice Chandler; Messrs Leslie and Lee Gowdy; Will Hoskins; Jas. Meader; Chas. Coakley; Jo Sims; of Campbellville, Mrs. Cabell and daughter Miss Nora of Bowling Green, Miss Warden, and Mason of Louisville, Misses Cocoran and Fineman of Lebanon, Miss Lorena Pile and Miss Virginia McLean; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coffey, and Mr. and Mrs. O. Coffey, Jr., of Columbia. Tennis, Croquet and Cinch are the principal amusements while swimming is indulged in a great deal.

F. M. L.

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

#### ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY

T. J. EPPERSON, ETC., Plaintiff,  
vs.  
C. F. EPPERSON, Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the May Term, thereof, 1906, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-House door in Columbia Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the

6th day of August, 1906,

at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court.) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit: Two tracts of land located in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Russell creek, 1st tract contains 139 acres, the 2nd tract contains 107 acres. The two tracts join and was the home farm of the late J. J. Epperson. The two tracts will be offered separately and then together, and will except the bid or bids bringing the most money. For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid.

H. T. BAKER, Master Com.

JAS. GARNETT, Attorney.

Last Saturday night as Mr. R. H. Price was returning from a fox chase, and when near town, he passed three men, one of whom threw a rock, hitting one of Mr. Price's dogs. This of course incensed Mr. Price, and he stopped his buggy and made inquiry as to who threw the rock. One of the parties came up and addressing Mr. Price, said: "Perhaps you don't know who I am. I'm Chewed Rasmus, a bad man." "Yes," said Mr. Price, "and if you don't get away I will wear my whip out on your back." No other persuasion was necessary, and the young man took down the road at break neck speed. It is thought that Mr. Chewed Rasmus is a resident of "Big Windy."

On Saturday August 11th, 1906, at 2 o'clock, at the late residence of Simon Lester, I will sell 2½ acres of land, one horse, one Jersey cow, one hog and other articles of personal property. Terms made known on day of sale. 38-2c SIMON LESTER'S EXECUTORS.

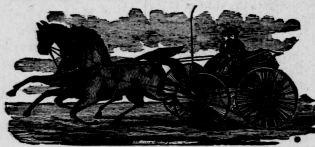


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## The Best Ever

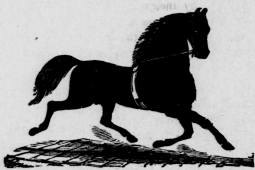
### COLUMBIA FAIR

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List it with W. T. EWING REAL ESTATE AGENCY, Harrodsburg, Ky. No commission until sold. If you wish to buy, fill out blank and to this Agency. Will send "Land Trade Review," a valuable real estate paper, one year free, to every person listing or writing for information. W. T. EWING REAL ESTATE AGENCY, HARRODSBURG, KY.

I want . . . . . containing . . . . . in . . . . .  
to cost not exceeding . . . . .

Name . . . . .  
Address . . . . .

## COLUMBIA FAIR

August 21-22-23-24, 1906--Four Days.

### PREMIUM LIST

Tuesday, August 21, 1906

#### CLASS A.

1—Display of Apples.....	\$1 00
2—Display of Pears.....	1 00
3—Display of Peaches.....	1 00
4—Best 3 Watermelons.....	1 00
5—Best 3 Cantaloupes.....	1 00
6—Best Display of Grapes, variety and quality considered.....	1 00
7—Best ½ bushel of White Wheat.....	1 00
8—Best ½ bushel of Red Wheat.....	1 00
9—Best ½ bushel of Oats.....	1 00
10—One dozen ears of White Corn.....	1 00
11—One dozen ears of Yellow Corn.....	1 00
12—One peck of Onions.....	1 00
13—One peck Sweet Potatoes.....	1 00
14—One peck Irish Potatoes.....	1 00
15—Best 3 heads of Cabbage.....	1 00
16—Best 1 dozen of Tomatoes.....	1 00
17—Best display of Vegetables.....	3 00
Special by J. R. Hindman.	

#### CLASS B.

18—Best Buck, any age.....	5 00
Special by R. K. Young, dealer in live stock, Columbia, Ky.	
19—Best Ewe any age.....	5 00
20—Best herd of Sheep, a pair blankets, worth.....	7 50
Special by Hoskins, Russell & Co., manufacturers of woolen goods. Campbellsville, Ky.	

#### CLASS C.

21—Best Boar, one year old and over.....	5 00
22—Best Sow under one year old.....	5 00
23—Best Sow one year old and over.....	5 00
24—Best Sow under one year old.....	5 00
25—Best Sow any age.....	5 00
26—Best Boar any age.....	5 00
27—Best Sow and 3 pigs.....	7 50

#### CLASS D.

28—General Sweepstakes for harness purposes, best Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age, speed, style, durability, action and pleasant handling considered. Ten per cent., entrance fee will be charged and added to purse; five or more to enter and three to show. Purse to be divided, 60 per cent., to first, 25 per cent., to second, 15 per cent., to third.....	35 00
29—Best Walking Mare or Gelding, old fashioned running walk or fox trot, horse to be ridden by the owner.....	10 00
Special by W. F. Jeffries & Sons, dealers in hardware, farm machinery, Fertilizers and vehicles, Columbia, Ky.	
29½—Best Phaeton Pony under 15 hands high, to be ridden or driven by a lady, accompanied by a gentleman, style and pleasant handling considered. To the first.....	7 50
To the second.....	2 50
Special by J. S. Stapp, dealer in staves, and publisher of the Columbia Spectator.	
30—Best pair Harness Mares or Geldings, or Mare or Geldings. To the first.....	10 00
To the second.....	5 00
Special by Dr. W. F. Cartwright, Columbia, Ky.	
31—Best Saddle Mare or Gelding.....	10 00
32—Thoroughbred Race, ½ mile heats, 2 best in 3.....	40 00
To be divided, 60 per cent., to the first, 25 per cent., to the second, 15 per cent., to the third.	

Wednesday, August 22, 1906

#### CLASS G.

#### DAIRY CATTLE

33—Best Jersey Cow, 3 years old and over.....	5 00
Special by E. L. Sinclair & Co., Wholesale Grocery-men, Columbia, Ky.	
34—Best Jersey Cow, 2 years old and under 3.....	5 00
35—Best Jersey Cow, one year old and under two.....	5 00
36—Best Jersey Cow, under six months old.....	5 00
37—Best Jersey Cow, any age.....	5 00
38—Best Jersey Cow, that has been shown at this fair and has not taken a premium. Barrel of Flour worth Special by J. L. Collins, Proprietor New Market.....	7 50
Roller Mills, New Market, Ky.	
39—Best Jersey Bull any age.....	5 00

#### BEEF CATTLE

40—Best Bull three years old and over.....	10 00
41—Best Bull two years old and under three.....	10 00
Special by W. L. Walker dealer in general merchandise, Columbia, Ky.	
42—Best Bull one year old and under two.....	8 00
43—Best Bull under one year old.....	5 00
44—Best Bull any age.....	10 00
45—Best Cow three years old and over.....	10 00
46—Best Cow two years old and under three.....	10 00
47—Best Cow one year old and under two.....	8 00
48—Best Cow under one year old.....	5 00

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All Kinds of Seed For Sale.

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## Fine Berkshire Hogs



WE HAVE SELECTED WITH great care and now own one of the finest herds of Berkshires ever brought to this county. They come direct from Vanderbilt's famous BILTMORE STRAIN.

The leader of this herd, **LOYAL SNAP V. 89242**,

is a boar of fine individuality, 12 months old and is registered in the AMERICAN BERKSHIRE ASS'N, Springfield, Ill.

Terms of season, \$1.00 at the gate, or \$1.50 due when pigs are farrowed.

We have several nice gilts which we will offer for sale in a few weeks. We are located one mile from Columbia on Stanford road.

**Harris Bros. - - - Columbia.**

JOHN A. HARRIS

ERNEST HARRIS

## WOODSON LEWIS, Greensburg, Ky.

ONE THOUSND BUGGIES, SURREYS AND BUCKBOARDS.  
FARM WAGONS.

Best Binder Twine 10 cts. Binders and Mowers, Lowest Prices

### A GREAT BARGAIN,

A LETHER trimmed, leather Quarter Top, Spring Seat, 1,000 Mile Axle Buggy with Good Harness for **\$50.00**

AND THERE ARE OTHERS.

## Lebanon Steam Laundry.

REED & MILLER

COLUMBIA

AGENTS FOR THIS SECTION

This one of the Best and most Reliable Landries in the State. Send them your linen and the work will be promptly and neatly executed.

**W. R. Johnson, Prop.,**

LEBANON—KENTUCKY.

## The Louisville Trust Company

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Fifth and Market  
LOUISVILLE, KY

Organized under a special charter for the safe keeping of valuables of every kind and description, and the transaction of a general trust business, is authorized to act in any part of the State as Executor, Administrator, Trustee, Guardian, Assignee, Receiver, and to fill every position of trust that can be held by an individual.

It accepts and executes trusts of varied character, and its fair, impartial and profitable management is guaranteed by its large assets, its corporate property, its magnificent fireproof office building and its great financial strength.

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FURNITURE, CHAIRS  
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Louisville, Ky

- 49—Best Cow any age..... 10 00  
50—Best Herd of cattle anykind, Bull and three females,  
To the first..... 10 00  
To the second..... 5 00  
Special by the Citizens Bank, Columbia Ky.

### CLASS H.

#### HORSES FOR HARNESS PURPOSES.

- 51—Best Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age  
To the first..... 10 00  
To the second..... 5 00  
Special by J. H. Kearns, Proprietor Sunny Side Saloon, Lebanon, Ky.  
52—Best Mare or Gelding, three years old and under four,  
53—Best Mare or Gelding two years old and under three,  
Special by Allen Walker and Co., Liverymen, Columbia, Ky.  
54—Best Stallion four years old and over..... 10 00  
55—Best Stallion three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by Gaines and Phillips, Liverymen, Campbellsville, Ky.  
56—Best Stallion two years old and under three..... 8 00  
57—Best Stallion one year old and under two..... 5 00  
58—Best Stallion under one year old..... 5 00  
59—Best Mare four years old and over..... 10 00  
Special by Columbia Singletree Co., H. R. Coleman, Proprietor.  
60—Best Mare three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by Dr. James Triplett, Dentist, Columbia, Ky.  
61—Best Mare one year old and under two..... 5 00  
Special by Claud Hobson, dealer in Poultry and Produce, Columbia, Ky.  
62—Best Mare under one year old..... 5 00  
63—Best Brood Mare and Colt..... 10 00  
Special by A. W. Tarter, Jailer of Adair County.  
64—Best Stallion and three of his colts, foals of 1906..... 10 00  
Special by Adair County News.  
64½—Best Colt of Arwed..... 10 00  
2nd Best season to Arwed 1907 worth..... 10 00  
3rd Best..... 5 00  
Special by German Coach Horse, Association.

### CLASS I.

- 65—Best Gentleman rider fifty years old or over  
To the first..... 7 50  
To the second..... 2 50  
Special by J. S. Stapp, Dealer in staves and Publisher of the Columbia Spectator.

### CLASS J.

- 66—Best Stallion any age..... 10 00  
Special by J. P. Hutchinson, dealer in Poultry and Produce, Columbia, Ky.  
67—Best Mare any age  
To the first..... 10 00  
To the second..... 5 00  
68—Most Beautiful double team  
To the first..... 10 00  
To the second..... 5 00  
Special by W. R. Myres, Proprietor of the Columbia Roller Mill.  
69—Best New York Saddle Mare or Gelding, walk, trot and canter.  
To the first..... 10 00  
To the second..... 5 00  
Special by T. A. Murrell, Agent for the old reliable Continental Fire Insurance Company.  
70—Fastest Mule, ½ mile heats, 2 best in 3..... 5 00  
71—Thoroughbred race, mile dash..... 60 00  
60 per cent., to the first, 25 per cent., to the second, and 15 per cent., to the third, no entrance fee but three to start.

Thursday, August 23d, 1906.

### CLASS K

- 72—Best Horse Mule three year old and over..... \$10 00  
Special by T. R. Stults, dealer in lumber, Columbr.  
73—Best Horse Mule two year old and under three..... 8 00  
74—Best Horse Mule one year old and under two..... 7 50  
75—Best Horse Mule under one one year old..... 5 00  
Special by Reed & Miller, Grocerymen, Columbia.  
76—Best Mare Mule three years old and over..... 10 00  
77—Best Mare Mule two years old and under three..... 8 00  
78—Best Mare Mule one year and under two..... 7 50  
79—Best Mare Mule under one year old..... 5 00  
80—Best Pair of Mules, owned by one man or firm..... 10 00  
First..... 10 00  
Second..... 5 00  
Special by J. E. Snow, Proprietor of the Russell Springs Roller Mills.  
81—Most Beautiful Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age to be shown with bridle or halter..... 10 00  
Special by W. D. King, representing Grauman-Henry-Cross Co., Wholesale dealers in Dry Goods, Louisville, Ky.  
82—Best Double Team, regardless of ownership or sex..... 10 00  
Special by E. G. Atkins, traveling salesman for A. Wahking & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Louisville.  
83—Best Rock-a-way Mare or Gelding, size, style and pleasant handling to be considered..... 10 00  
Special by Columbia Motor Car Co.,

### CLASS L

#### HORSES FOR SADDLE PURPOSES

- 84—Best Stallion four years old and over..... 10 00  
Special by New England Mutual Life Insurance Co., Represented by Jo Coffey, Jr., Columbia.  
85—Best Stallion three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by Dr. O. S. Dunbar, Dentist, Columbia.  
86—Best Stallion two years old and under three..... 7 50  
Special by S. C. Neat, Representing Otter & Co., Wholesale Grocers, Louisville.

- 87—Best Saddle Mare or Gelding, three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by J. H. Goff, Representing The Citizens Life Insurance Co., Louisville.  
88—Best Saddle Mare or Gelding two years old and under three..... 7 50  
Special by M. Cravens, Druggist, dealer in soft drinks Columbia.  
89—Best Saddle gelding any age..... 10 00  
Special by W. O. Pile, Liveryman, Columbia.  
90—Best Saddle Stallion any age..... 10 00  
Special by C. F. Mantz, Proprietor, Campbellsville Roller Mills.  
91—Finest Turnout, single rig, everything considered  
First..... 10 00  
Second..... 5 00  
Special by Lyon Buggy Co., Campbellsville, Ky.  
92—Best Suckling Colt by Jordan Peacock..... 15 00  
Second..... 10 00  
Sweepstakes Model Stallion, Mare or Gelding any age, by Jordan Peacock..... 15 00  
Special by W. L. Grady, Proprietor, Gradyville Stock Farm, owner of Jordan Peacock. All premiums to be paid in seasons to any stock I have in 1907-W. L. Grady.  
93—Fastest Mule, ½ mile heats, two best in three..... 5 00  
Second..... 2 50  
94—Thoroughbred Race, mile dash..... 75 00  
To first 60 per cent; to second, 25 per cent; to third 15 per cent. No entrance fee.

Friday, August 24th, 1906.

### CLASS M.

#### HORSES FOR GENERAL UTILITY.

- 95—Best Stallion under one year old..... 5 00  
Special by M. Rey Yarberry, Chairman of the Republican Committee, Adair County.  
96—Best Stallion one year old and under two..... 5 00  
Special by J. T. Gowdy, Liveryman, Campbellsville, Ky.  
97—Best Stallion two years old and under three..... 8 00  
Special by T. E. Paull, Druggist and dealer in Drug-gist sundries.  
98—Best Stallion three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by Woodson Lewis, Dealer in General Merchandise, Greensburg, Ky.  
99—Best Stallion four years old and over..... 10 00  
Special by Jo Willock, Manufacturer of Coco-Cola, Campbellsville, Ky.  
100—Best Mare under one year old..... 5 00  
Special by Lindsay & Rice, Proprietors of the Elkhorn Roller Mill, Elkhorn, Ky.  
101—Best Mare one year old and under two..... 5 00  
Special by Frank Sinclair, Dealer in General Merchandise, Columbia, Ky.  
102—Best Mare two years old and under three..... 8 00  
Special by Walker Bryant, Dealer in Lumber and Timber, Columbia, Ky.  
103—Best Mare three years old and under four..... 10 00  
Special by the Standard Saw Mill Co., Columbia. Dealers in Timber and Lumber.  
104—Best Mare four years old and over..... 10 00  
Special by Gordon Montgomery, Agent for the New York Home Fire Insurance Co.

#### GENERAL SWEEPSTAKES FOR SADDLE PURPOSES

- 105—Best Stallion, Mare or Gelding, any age..... 35 00  
10 per cent entrance fee will be charged and added to the purse; 60 per cent to 1st; 25 per cent to 2nd; 15 per cent to 3d.

#### SWEEPSTAKES FOR GENERAL UTILITY.

- 106—Best Mare, any age, to be ridden and driven..... 10 00  
Special by Smith & Nell, Proprietors, Columbia Hotel.  
107—Best Stallion, any age, to be ridden and driven..... 10 00  
Special by G. F. Stults, dealer in Lumber, Columbia.

#### CONSOLATION STAKE

- 108—Best Stallion, Mare or Gelding that has been shown and has not received a blue ribbon at this Fair..... 10 00  
Second..... 5 00  
109—Fastest Mule, ½ mile heats, two best in three..... 5 00  
Second..... 2 50  
110—Thoroughbred race, mile dash..... 100 00  
To first, 60 per cent; to second, 25 per cent; to third 15 per cent.

H. SMITH

GEO. H. NELL

## STOP AT THE COLUMBIA HOTEL

Smith & Nell, Props.

\* This Hotel was formerly known as the MARCUM HOTEL

The Largest and Best Hotel in Green River Section.

\* The above named firm has just purchased it, and it will be run in first-class style.  
\* Rooms clean and the table supplied with the best the market affords. Traveling trade solicited.

Columbia, Kentucky.



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WED. AUGUST 1, 1906.

Hon. John D. White made his speech to a small audience in the court house last Wednesday and like Congressman Edwards tour through this part of the district, failed to arouse any enthusiasm. It was our privilege to listen to his entire speech of more than one and a half hours, and to be plain and square must say, that he is one of the strong and forceful debaters of this State. His opposition to the policy of his party in some of the past campaigns has placed him at a disadvantage with many Republicans, and this predicament ought to be highly consoling to Democrats. Realizing that our party has just reason for the belief that if the next Congress is not Democratic, that it will be, at least desperately close, we fail to see why any Democrat should aid or encourage Mr. White's election. In our judgment he is the man of all men in this district that Democrats should want defeated, not because of his demands for fair play and better political methods in his own party, but because of his ability to do Democratic measures more harm in Congress than any other Republican in the district or even in the State. Should we get a majority in Congress, or should it be exceedingly close, with the "Crested Jay Hawker" in that body, then Democrats would realize his full force and powers. No Democrat should be deceived. John D. White is not a Democrat and not a bolter from a single principle of the Republican party, but to the contrary is a Republican of the old school with sufficient power of mind to prove of tremendous harm to our party in Congress. As things now are Democrats ought to stand afar off and not throw a straw across the path of the present Congressman, or rather give courage to the new entry, Mr. Herd. The fact is he would probably do us less harm than the present incumbent. This is not a democratic contest, and it is to be hoped that not a single one will take part in the decision of selecting a Republican nominee and especially to encourage, not only one of the ablest, but one of the bitterest opponents of Democratic principles and measures. His speech last Wednesday ought to be convincing to every Democrat who heard him.

It is a great mistake when people will not join in the making of good roads in their community, especially is this true when the county will bear a part of the burden, and where the material for making roads is so abundant. There never was more or better gravel at hand than can be secured now since the heavy rain did its work.

Hon. John D. White paid a nice compliment to one of our townsmen in his speech last week, when he made the statement that Hon. M. Rey Yarberry was furnishing the brains for Edwards campaign. We have not heard this charge disputed.

The Kentucky Press Association had an interesting meeting and outing at Grayson Springs last week. It was not our pleasure to be present, forced to keep overlastingly at in.

The Democrats of Louisville, have planned a reception to be given Hon. W. J. Bryan, in Louisville on his way West from New York. Mr. Bryan has accepted the invitation, and it is expected that hundreds of prominent Democrats from every Southern state will be present. There is one thing certain, no warmer and more enthusiastic welcome will never be extended our distinguished citizen than he will receive in Kentucky's metropolis. His welcome to New York may be louder, and his greetings more numerous, but not more sincere. From the way things are turning, and the way people are moving, it looks that as Washington was first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen, even so it is with W. J. Bryan in the great political reformation launched by his ability and eloquence but a few years since. He is the grandest American citizen now living, measured by public confidence and esteem.

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## GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

A \$75,000 fire at Lerkin, Ind. Two safe blowers were captured at Rockford Ill., after an exciting chase.

The Tobacco Growers Association, known as the Society of Equity, threaten to boycott Owensboro.

Harry Thaw is to be tried in New York for killing Stanley White. The trial is set for October 15.

Mr. Bryan and family will sail for home on the 20th of August.

An interesting meeting of the Kentucky Press Association at Grayson Springs.

At a revival meeting in Ashland a butcher rose and said that he was the wickedest man in town, and had given his customers short weight for years. I'd go to hell if I should die to-night," he continued. Immediately an old deacon, who was in the grocery business, started the hymn, "If you get there before I do tell them that I'm coming too," and the grocer wondered why everybody laughed.

It looks like revolution is inevitable in Russia, and if there ever was a country that needed such a thing it seems to be Russia. Disorder and riots are of daily occurrence, and the Government seems to be unable to suppress them.

THE NEWS AND SOUTHERN HOME—\$1.00

## CAMP KNOX.

Farmers are busy thrashing wheat.

Mrs. Mattie Banks is visiting relatives in Greensburg this week.

There will be a singing at Raskinsville next Sunday evening conducted by Prof. R. O. Cabell. Everybody come.

The roads are dreadful between here and Columbia—almost impassable; the "rocky hill" ought to be worked before the fair, by all means if they expect anybody to come.

Mr. Monroe T. Whidby, of Florida, who has been visiting Miss Francis Hatcher, near this place, has returned home. He made many friends while here.

Miss Bettie Cundiff, who is teaching school several miles from here, visited her parents last Saturday and Sunday.

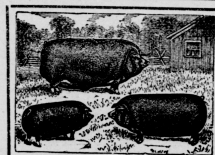
The recent heavy rain p'ed up an unusually fine gravel bar at the Stanford road crossing in Russell creek. A deep hole was made where Disappointment empties into Russell at that point and the ford is dangerous. Keep all the bridge and you will make it on right.

## FOR SALE.

A 20 horse power saw and grist mill at Sparksville, 60 acres of land well improved, and plenty of timber for farm purposes. The growing crop is also for sale. Call on or address GEORGE WOOTEN, Sparksville, Ky 35-1m

An exchange tells of the three stingiest men on record. The first will not drink water unless it comes from a neighbor's well; the second forbids his family to write anything but a small hand, as it wastes ink to make large letters, and the third stops the clock at night to save the wear and tear in the machinery. All of them refuse to take a newspaper on the ground that it is a strain on their spectacles to read.

## Fine Berkshire Hogs



is a boar of fine individuality, 12 months old and is registered in the AMERICAN BERKSHIRE ASS'N, Springfield, Ill.

Terms of season, \$1.00 at the gate, or \$1.50 due when pigs are farrowed.

We have several nice gilts which we will offer for sale in a few weeks. We are located one mile from Columbia on Stanford road.

Harris Bros. - - - Columbia.  
JOHN A. HARRIS ERNEST HARRIS

## LUMBER WANTED!

We are in the market for Lumber at our Columbia Yard. We give fair inspection and pay highest cash prices. Give us a Trial.

## Standard Saw Mill Co.

B. F. RAKESTRAW, Manager.  
E. H. NEWBERRY, Yard Foreman.

WOODSON LEWIS,  
Greensburg, Ky.

ONE THOUSAND BUGGIES, SURREYS AND BUCKBOARDS.

FARM WAGONS.

Best Binder Twine 10 cts.

Binders and Mowers, Lowest Prices

## A GREAT BARGAIN,

A LETHER trimmed, leather Quarter Top, Spring Seat, 1,000 Mile Axle Buggy with Good Harness for \$50.00

AND THERE ARE OTHERS.

## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY

SAMUEL A. EPPERSON, ETC., Plaintiff, VS. BESSIE EPPERSON, ETC., Defendant,

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the May Term, thereof, 1906, in above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-House door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the

6th day August, of 1906,

at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land located in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Russell creek containing 77 1/2 acres. For more particular description reference is made to order and judgment recorded in order Book No. 10, page 426 in the Adair Circuit Court Clerks office.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment.

H. T. BAKER, MASTER COMMISSIONER, Montgomery & Montgomery, Att'ys. (31-3)

## KENTUCKY FAIR DATES.

Harrodsburg, August 7-4 days.  
Fern Creek, August 14-4 days.  
Vanceburg, August 15-4 days.  
COLUMBIA, AUGUST 21-4 DAYS.  
Shepherdsville, August 21-4 days.  
Guthrie, August 23-3 days.  
Springfield, August 23-3 days.  
Shelbyville, August 23-4 days.  
Nicholasville, August 23-3 days.  
Burkesville, August 23-four days.  
Bardonia, August 23-4 days.  
Florence, August 29-4 days.  
Paris, September 4-5 days.  
Elizabethtown, September 4-3 days.  
Monticello, September 11-4 days.  
Glasgow, September 12-4 days.  
Falmouth, September 26-4 days.

## Notice.

Four monuments that sold at \$75 can now be bought at \$60; four that sold for \$25 now \$20, one that sold at \$80 now \$65. When these are closed out no more can be had at these prices. COAKLEY & SINKS BROS.

FARM FOR SALE: I have a farm of 100 acres, well improved, thirty acres in timber, good dwelling and out buildings, plenty of water. Will give the purchaser a bargain. Church and school house convenient.

C. H. CRAVENS,  
(36-2t) Webbs X Roads, Ky.

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at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land located in Adair county, Ky., on the waters of Huddleston's branch of Crois Creek containing about 160 acres. For complete description of land see order book No. 10, page 417 in Adair Circuit Clerks office.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

H. T. BAKER, M. C. A. C. C. Montgomery & Montgomery, Att'ys. (31-3)

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## Special Attention to Eyes

Fistula, Poll-evil, Spavin, or any surgical work done at fair prices. I am well fixed to take care of stock. Money due when work is done or stock removed from stables.

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## Coffins AND Caskets

I keep ready for use all kinds of Coffins and Caskets which will be sold at short profits. Give me a call and be convinced that it would be to your interest to patronize my shop.

J. E. SNOW, Russell Springs

MRS. J. F. RUSSELL.  
DRESSMAKER,  
COLUMBIA, KY.

Mrs. Russell offers her service to the public, guaranteeing satisfaction.

## CUTS AND FITS BY TAILOR MEASURE

Makes up garments in the very latest styles, neatly, substantially, and in the most artistic manner.

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COLUMBIA, KY.

JAMES TRIPLETT,  
DENTIST,

RESIDENT PHONE 29. OFFICE PHONE 40, KING 2. OFFICE IN JEFFRIES BLOCK.

COUMBIA, KENTUCKY

Dr. O. S. Dunbar,  
DENTIST,

OFFICE, FRONT ROOMS IN JEFFRIES BUILDING. PHONE NO. 40, KING 3.

COLUMBIA, Kentucky.

## PERSONAL

Mr. J. M. Campbell was here Saturday.

Miss Lola Kratzer has returned from Cincinnati.

Miss Minnie Triplett is visiting in Louisville.

Miss Katie Murrell is visiting in Jamestown.

Mrs. Geo. H. Nell was quite sick a few days of last week.

Mr. E. V. Miller, of Crocus, was here Monday.

Mr. Zach Campbell, of Pellyton, was here Saturday.

Mr. S. G. Cull, Harrodsburg, was here last Friday.

Mr. Geo. H. Nell was in Lebanon last Thursday.

Mr. Luther Potts, Creelsboro, was here Thursday.

Robt. Dohoney, Keltner, was here a few days ago.

Mr. Creed Haskins reached Columbia Monday afternoon.

Mr. R. F. Rowe, of Amandaville, was here last Wednesday.

Mr. W. G. Burchett, of Russell county, was here last week.

Mr. A. C. Alexander, Scottsville, was here at the sale of lots.

Miss Myrtle Myers has returned from a visit to Glasgow.

Mr. B. L. Sanders, Lebanon, was here the first of the week.

Mr. S. D. Crenshaw was quite sick a few days of last week.

Miss Linnie Sanders, of Pellyton, visited Columbia Saturday.

Mr. B. F. Chevington and wife visited in Taylor county last Sunday.

Mr. H. C. Ford, of Georgetown, is spending a few days in Columbia.

Mr. W. H. Wilson and wife spent last Sunday at the Russell Springs.

Hon. Geo. Nell went to Louisville last week to consult his physician.

Messrs R. P. Breeding and G. W. Dillon were here at the sale of lots.

Mrs. Champ Butler and her daughter, Miss Nellie, visited the News Saturday.

Mr. Homer Huddleston and wife have returned from the Sulphur Well.

Mr. Mont Murrell and Mrs. Mattie Vance have returned from New Mexico.

Mrs. Wm. Humphreys, Cane Valley, was in town Monday and paid the News a call.

Mr. Abner Jones, Jamestown, was here Thursday, on his return home from Burkesville.

Mr. C. J. Yeager, of Leitchfield, well-known shoe man, was here Thursday.

Mr. W. F. Jeffries is in Louisville this week, replenishing his large stock of hardware.

Mr. John Morrison and wife visited relatives at Liletown, Green county, last week.

Mr. H. C. Walker and wife and Mr. W. M. Wilmore were here from Gradyville Monday.

Mr. L. C. Hurt and wife and Miss Mary Price spent last Sunday at Sulphur Well, Mettalc county.

Mr. J. J. Hunter, daughter, son and mother attended the funeral services of Ben. F. Hunter Bradfordsville.

Mrs. Rebecca Thomas and Mrs. Elizabeth Bryant near Ababer, this county are reported dangerously ill.

Mrs. Bettie Wood and her daughter, Miss Annie, of Lebanon, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Garnett.

Mr. John Irvin and daughter, Miss Bettie, of Miami, Green county, paid this office a pleasant visit Friday.

Mr. G. T. Flowers, Jr., and wife visited Mrs. Flowers parents in Wayne county from Sunday until Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Squires, of Cane Valley, visited Miss Virginia McLean from Saturday to Monday.

Dr. W. B. Armstrong, of Russell Springs, and Dr. E. C. Armstrong, of Newberne, N. C., were in Columbia Monday.

Mrs. Charlotte Patterson left for Texas last Thursday morning. She is 51 years old and was accompanied by Dr. W. R. Grissom, this place.

Miss Esther Nell, who has been spending several weeks in Columbia, visiting relatives, returned to her home in Somerset Tuesday.

Miss Elma Page, daughter of W. S. Page, Fobart, Texas, who has been attending School in Washington City, arrived in Columbia Monday night.

Mrs. A. D. Patteson and little daughter, Mary D., who have been on an extended visit to North Middletown, returned home last Wednesday night.

Judge J. A. Perkins and O. P. Perkins, of near Albany, were here Saturday. The latter was on the hunt of a farm with the view of locating in Adair county.

Mrs. Susie C. Page and Miss Emma Eubank, of Cane Valley, called on the News Monday. Ladies who would like to see a good printing press doing its work are always welcome.

Mr. Alvis Goodman, after having spent a pleasant week with the family of Mr. Sam Lewis, left for his home in Louisville, accompanied by his cousin, Miss Hattie Lewis, who will remain there for several weeks.

Mr. J. D. Wetherford, of the Green river section, was in last week and reported much damage done by the heavy rain in his section. His loss was in fencing, washing land and to his growing crop of tobacco.

Mr. H. C. Ford, of Georgetown, and Miss Annie Jones; Misses Jennie Garnett, Annie Wood, of Lebanon, Daut Marcum, Alice Walker, Nina Marcum and Myrtle Myers visited Griffin Spring Monday, returning yesterday.

## LOCALS.

Mr. Ed Staples returned from Elida, New Mexico, last week. He filed a claim and is well pleased with the country. He says that all the Adair county people who have settled there are perfectly satisfied. He further stated that Mrs. C. M. Murrell's health had greatly improved.

A Mr. Denton, of Texas, and Miss Minnie Keene, who lives in the Gradyville section, eloped for Tennessee last Saturday night. They started from the home of Mr. Tom Dowell where the young lady had gone, as she told her parents, to remain over night.

## LUMBER WANTED AT CAMPBELLVILLE

The Ault & Jackson Co., incorporated, of Cincinnati, Ohio, with office at Commercial Hotel, Campbellville, Ky., are in the market for Lumber and will pay the following prices delivered on their yard at Campbellville, Ky.

Kinds 1st & 2nd Common Culls	
Plain Oak \$32	\$21 \$8
Chestnut \$30	\$20 \$8
Ash \$28	\$18 \$8
Poplar \$32	\$21 \$10

Call and see our representative.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following parties last week: J. M. Mann and Zora Abrell, Newton Smith and Miss Maggie Finn, Cleveland Burton and Miss Ada Powell, Chas. W. Burress and Miss Dora M. Barnes.

## LOTS FOR SALE.

Those wanting lots in the Mulligan addition of Columbia Adair county, Ky., can see T. R. Stuts or Col. Lucian Hurt, who are authorized to make prices and sell any or all of said lots for the next 30 days.

R. O. MULLIGAN.

July is said to have been the coolest and the wettest for many years. There were very few real hot days during the month, but there were many very heavy rains. The ground was thoroughly soaked the most of the period, and wheat threshing was retarded.

## DANGEROUS FORD.

Mr. I. A. McKinney on attempting to cross Russell creek at the ford on the Stanford road just after the recent rain, got into ten foot water, a wash out hole, and narrowly escaped drowning, his wagon and team being washed some distance down the creek.

## Land, Stock and Crop

Scott Montgomery sold last Thursday afternoon, two building lots, one to Luther Richards, the other to Perry Lovelace for \$300. These gentlemen reside at the Russell Springs, but they will remove to this place. The lots are located near the residence which has just been put up by T. J. Ranser.

Three crops of wheat were destroyed near Pellyton, this county, last Thursday night. They were owned by Tom Sanders, Tom Dickerson and another farmer. It was all stacked and on the same lot, the farmers who owned it waiting for the thresher. It is believed in the neighborhood that the wheat was set on fire. The three crops are estimated to have been worth \$350.

Mr. C. C. Stephens, of Gradyville, was here Monday. He reported that the wheat in his section had been threshed and that it turned out much better than was expected. He further said that he had sold his tobacco crop, 11,000 pounds, to Fount Pendleton for \$702.65. Mr. Stephens is regarded as the best tobacco grower in Adair county.

Mr. Rollin Browning bought of Mr. R. H. Price, last Friday, the lot, on Burkesville street, upon which the latter is conducting a 'blacksmith' shop, for \$1,100. Mr. Browning will erect a residence upon the site.

Mr. C. R. Royle, one of the leading farmers on the Stanford road, 3 miles from town, sold the first watermelon for this season, last week. Mr. Royle has developed into a successful melon raiser within the last few years.

John N. Conover sold J. B. Barbee \$600.00 worth of hay, the product of about 35 acres. He also sold him 20 popular trees for 300. One thing certain, Mr. Conover knows how to make money farming and he makes it.

Dr. W. T. Grissom sold a saddle horse to C. M. Herriford last week for \$75.00—Bliss Correspondent.

T. G. Ranser bought a building lot, located on Boomer Heights, from Tom Waggener for \$110.

Smith & Nell sold last week to Robertson & Masie, of Columbia, 3 mules for \$330. The above firm has just returned from the Louisville market where they sold two car loads of cattle and sheep at satisfactory prices.

W. M. Smith & Sons sold last week a very fine span of three year old mules to Coffey Bros., of Columbia for \$345. Also sold the same firm one young mare for \$125.—Gradyville Cor.

R. E. Tandy bought of different parties in this section 266 hogs ranging in price from \$5.00 to 5.75 per hundred. He also bought a number of sheep and several heifers and cows at fair prices.

Young & Coffey bought 18 head of mules within the last ten days paying from \$100 to \$175 per head.

Masie and Robertson have bought from various parties in the last week nine mules, ranging in price from \$100 to \$125 per head.

Mr. Rollin Browning has purchased of Mr. W. O. Pile one-half interest in the Columbia Livery. Consideration \$1,500.

W. F. Jeffries bought a 2 year-old Jersey cow, one of the best ones, from Elias Cough, of Campbellville, paying \$37.00.

Bob Hudson bought a span of mules in Cumberland county for \$350.

Mr. A. Humm has returned from South West Missouri, where he purchased 700 head of sheep.

There is a remarkable spring on the farm of a Mr. Jones in the Little Cake precinct, this county. It flows from a brow of a hill, and a short distance from its source it is thirty-five yards wide. The water is ice cold. There is no telling how deep it is, as the bottom has never been found. The spring is but a short distance from Green river and there is some fish in it. It is said that in olden times flat boats made their start from the spring to the river. In those days tobacco was shipped from this county in boats to New Orleans.

The assessment for the Republican primary in the Eleventh district, called for the 18th day of August has been estimated at \$3,600 to be divided by the three candidates, provided they are all before the voters on the day of the election. There are 245 precincts in the district. The money to cover expenses must be in the hands of Chairman Bryley by the 3rd day of August.

It will be remembered that some time ago Walter Scott killed his uncle, George Prewett, in Cumberland county. Last week the case came on for trial and the testimony showed that Prewett was killed without provocation. After the jury had deliberated several hours a compromise verdict was reached, giving Scott fifteen years in the penitentiary. A majority of the Jury on the start favored a life sentence.

We learn that Rev. J. P. Scruggs and wife are very pleasantly situated at Midway, Ky., and since they became residents of that place, only a few months ago, have become quite popular in the community. Mr. Scruggs is very much liked by all denomination, and Mrs. Scruggs' gentle manners make her friends wherever she goes.

Last Sunday forenoon, in the East end of this county, Mr. Dunk Powell was married to Miss Pearl Stapp. Rev. Frank Breeding was the officiating clergyman. The attendants were Mr. Jo. Stapp, brother of the bride, and Miss Laura Jeffries. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party left for a few days stay at the Russell Springs.

C. R. and John F. Cabell, who live at Miami, Green county, lost about seven hundred dollars Monday of last week occasioned by the heavy fall of rain. A great deal of fencing was washed beyond recovery, and many acres of corn destroyed.

Miss Rose Hunn entertained a large number of her young friends last Thursday night. On Friday evening the little folks met at the home of Miss Ella Todd and spent a few hours very pleasantly.

## PUBLIC SALE.

On Tuesday, the 28th of August, I will sell at public outcry, all my personal property consisting of household and kitchen furniture, farm machinery, milch cow and 7 head of hogs.

Sale will be made at my residence in Gradyville. A credit of six months will be given. H. C. WALKER. 38-3t

Mr. J. B. Coffey has a mare that is very fond of swimming. Last Monday Mr. Coffey left her standing, hooked to a buggy, in front of his mule barn. Immediately after being left, she started in her usual gait to the creek where she had a good time in the deepest water. She was found a half mile down the stream.

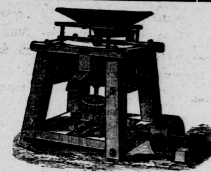
The special privileges of the Burkesville Fair will be sold next Saturday in Burkesville. If you want to make some money this will give you an opportunity, for they are going to have a rousing fair.

I have 43 acres of beautiful land adjoining the campus of the Lindsay-Wilson Training School, that I will sell in whole or in part. Location unexcelled and perfect title will be made. Call on or address, Mrs. A. L. Newsy, Columbia, Ky.

Remember that the Columbia fair is August 21 22 23 and 24; that ladies are invited the first day; that all ministers of the Gospel and all people over 70 years of age are admitted free and are welcomed.

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**The Common People Will Elect him.**

That Bryan will be the nominee of the democratic party now seems inevitable. Of course there is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip, but in all human probability, there is no man who could take the nomination away from Bryan if he wanted to do so, and there will be none who would if he could.

There is a general uprising among democrats everywhere that he be the man. And what the people want they should have. And what a remarkable tribute to the man it is, when you consider that he is 10,000 miles away from home, with the globe between him and all political turmoil. When you consider that nobody is especially working for his nomination and that no organization anywhere is setting up pins to secure the nomination from Bryan it is indeed the most remarkable demonstration of a man's strength we have seen in modern times. The people instinctively turn to Bryan. And they not only turn to him, but he appears to them almost in the light of a prophet. Just think of the things he said of the republican party and about the trusts and about the trusts and corporations, why the democrats themselves could not believe them to be true and now are made aware that the half had not been told. Bryan accused the republicans of buying McKinley's election. Do you doubt it? Bryan said the trusts had the country by the throat. Do you doubt it? He said high finance was putting in millions to defeat the will of the people. If you know about the life insurance revelation, do you doubt what he said?

Bryan represents all that is best in our system of government. He is today our typical American. Behold the treatment he is accorded in his trip around the world. Grant with all the honors of war and with the prestige of two terms as President was shown no more honors than Bryan, a plain Nebraska farmer, who is traveling around the world to see what he may see, and to learn what there is in the world. Then shouldn't democrats get into line and take advantage of the sentiment that already exists among the common people? Laugh all you want to at the phrase "The common people" it will be the winning battle cry this year and in 1906. Why think of it! They called Bryan an anarchist in 1896 and now Roosevelt is promulgating doctrines by the side of which Bryan is ultra conservative. Bryan was for an income tax and he was called an anarchist. Roosevelt favors it and he is called a patriot. Bryan accused the big capitalists of being corrupt and Roosevelt goes after the packers and the insurance companies and other grafters as Bryan would never have dared to do.

There is no use to discuss the nomination of Bryan in 1906, for he will be nominated if he lives, and he will be elected, too. Trusts and combines and insurance companies will not dare to steal the people's money and

give it over to the republican party to beat Bryan this time. Bryan is a greater man in the hearts of the people than he has ever been before and his power and influence is growing every day. The Nebraskan has clear sailing and is running at 100 knots an hour.—Elizabethtown News.

**Stop Babies' Tears.**

Ninety per cent of babies' troubles are caused by disordered stomach or bowels. They can all be quickly cured by a few doses of that great digestive medicine, Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It digests curdled milk, sweetens the breath, reduces fever and relieves pain. Absolutely harmless to mother or child. Sure relief in teething. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page and Moore Cane Valley, at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

"What a \$6,000 Investment Did in West Virginia," was the text of a thrilling recital by A. H. Westerfield, a Wheeling lumberman, who recently stopped off at Washington City on business. "There is a 6,000 acre tract of land at the source of the Potomac, in Pendleton county, West Virginia," he said, "which sold for \$6,000 four years ago. The land contained iron deposits and there was good timber. The next day it sold for \$9,000. Former Senator H. C. Davis wanted it but when he finally got it he had to pay \$27,000 for it. He retained the iron deposits and sold the timber for \$75,000. The people who bought the timber sold it a year later for \$175,000. A month or two later this was sold again for \$800,000. Counting the iron there is no telling what the land is worth."

**OLD MAN GIDDLES OBSERVES.**

I understand that Buddhists will not kill even an insect. If I were a Buddhist I would backslide long enough to get revenge on the mosquitoes.

When a young man grows a beard or an old man shaves off his beard each of them is accused of being vain.

Alfaretta Mingo is very melancholy. She was engaged to a young man and made a delicious pie for him. He bit on a cherry stone unexpectedly.

I have never observed that the people who lose sleep trying to catch somebody doing wrong will leave their work even for a minute to see somebody doing good.

As thunderstorms clear the air, so it sometimes clears the minds of people to criticise all the faults of all their friends at one sitting.

Eli Timms shudders over the outlook for this country. He has given his opinion as to the next presidential nominees and it has not been printed anywhere yet.

Jethro Skidmore puts in all his time reading scientific works. He has a son who is fond of fudge.

Some of us got so sentimental about remembering the happy days of yore that we never can recall where we put the tack hammer yesterday.

**Frightfully Burned.**

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Buchlen's Arnica Salve with usual result: "a quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at T. E. Paul's, druggist.

**BRYAN'S TRIP.**

When William J. Bryan reaches his home in Lincoln, Neb., September 5, he will have completed a globe of trotting tour which has taken him below the equator and above the arctic circle.

His journey was begun September 21, 1905, and was so arranged that he has been enabled to visit about thirty different lands and has come in personal contact with people who control the destinies of the world. His name, position, rugged personality, and the probability that he will be the next Democratic candidate for President have proved a conjuring combination of elements which have opened the door to him for study and research in every country which he has visited.

The party left London yesterday and will return in time for the peace conference at which Mr. Bryan will be a conspicuous figure. Mr. Bryan will sail to America from Gibraltar about the middle of August.

With the endless speculation which is being indulged in as to the platform which he will adopt were he to become Democratic nominee for President the opinion held by Jefferson M. Levy former Democratic representative from New York, who is now in London, is of much interest because it brings to light a new phrase of the reforms which Mr. Bryan is seeking to accomplish. Looking at the situation from the standing of a banker, Mr. Levy, believes Bryan's probable campaign will appeal to the conservative financial interests of the United States through the prospect of a financial system being regulated in the manner which will preclude the possibility of such upheavals as follow the change of administration every four years.

**RUSSELL SAGE.**

The death of Russell Sage is like the removal of a landmark. For more than a half century Mr. Sage was one of the financial pillars of New York, and for many years he was the steady prop upon which Wall street could always depend for quick support. Mr. Sage's genius was undoubtedly that of acquisition. Early in his career he entered politics and served a term or two in Congress. It is doubtful if he would have achieved the success or renown that came to him in the financial world had he elected to remain in public service. He lacked the engaging personality and diplomacy that form the politician's armament and defense. Simple in his tastes and habits, frugal, even to the verge of parsimony, with an unshakable confidence in the accumulative properties of interest, Mr. Sage acquired a colossal fortune, which he continued to augment almost to the day of his death. It is not uninteresting to speculate upon the provision that he undoubtedly made as to its disposition after his death. Mr. Sage left no direct heirs.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The delightful Mr. Jett withdrew, on the witness stand at Beattyville, the accusations against his uncle, the delightful

Judge Hargis, which had been made in the celebrated confession in the Cynthiana jail. The delightful Mr. Jett appeared before the august court at Beattyville well soaked in whisky and lighter beverages, thus lending a picturesque effect to the scene. Throughout this entire affair in which the delightful Mr. Jett has figured, he has comforted himself with all the dignity and grace that could be expected of so courtly a gentleman; and it is hoped he will be able to maintain the same high degree of gentlemanliness when he finally dances a two-step at the end of a rope.—Cynthiana Democrat.

**LET THE SOUTH ALONE.**

Since the South has been let alone, progress in all the enterprises in which the people can engage has been stupendous. There has been an increase in the number and the size of the cotton factories, the iron and steel mills, the lumber enterprises, the mining operations and in the less important, but growing industries of other branches, which shows that there was nothing the matter with the South but the fool and grafter interference of the aliens who professed to love the negro. They might be loving the negro still, if there was anything in it. There is no political or industrial profit or loot in the love of the negro now, hence the lovers have subsided, the negro is at rest and the South is let alone.—Portsmouth Star.

**Hints To Houseworkers.**

Nothing is more important to the housekeeper, than to keep her liver properly working; otherwise, that pale, sallow look, and tired feeling, will make her look and feel as sick as a dog. Nothing will keep you up to the mark, without injurious stimulation, so well as Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It is a pure liver tonic—a cure for Constipation, Biliousness, and Indigestion. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page and Moore Cane Valley at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

**BRAIN LEAKS.**

Most self-made men act like it. The Lord loveth a cheerful loser.

Things won by chance are usually lost by carelessness.

Men do not rise to God by stepping on their neighbors.

A woman can never understand how a man can use so many pockets.

Men who wait for inspiration usually hunt for the soup kitchen.

It is easy to be liberal with the money that men have earned.

A mother always feels cheated if another discovers her baby's first tooth.

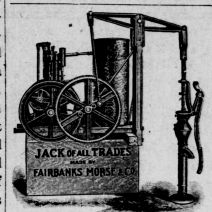
Corrupt politics is caused by the lack of interest on the part of the honest citizen.

Our good nature is to be able to smile and look pleasant when one has a toothache.

Too many men look their good nature with their merchandise and carry their troubles home.

A great many people are starving because of money wasted in tall spires and stained glass windows.

It is a good thing for a man that the authorities do tax him on the value set upon a worthless dog by the baby of the household.

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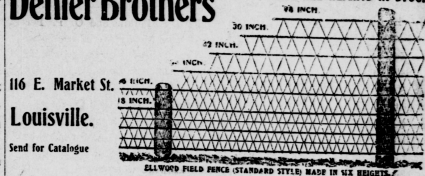
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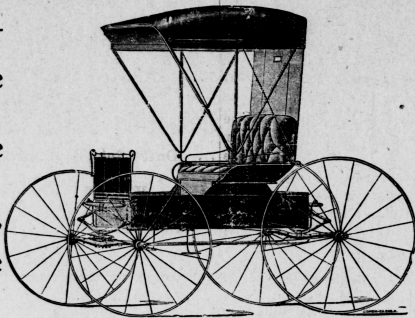
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## THE SOUTH'S LABOR FAMINE.

The labor situation in the South has reached the critical stage. A railroad conductor in Alabama says that he knows of a field of 300 acres of cotton which has not been touched by a hoe this season. Another man remarks that it is not a question of paying higher wages to farm laborers, but of getting laborers, at any price.

"Some may say," remarks the Mobile Register, "that the negroes are leaving because they are ill treated, but this is certainly not so. The farmers' interest everywhere is to treat the negroes well. The fact is that the negroes are too well treated—that is, too well paid—they can live without working more than a portion of the time and if urged to work they find it easy to move and get wages elsewhere. Owing to high prices and the demand for labor, the negroes are becoming more and more untrustworthy. They cannot be relied upon to stay by contracts or to do anything like a fair amount of work. The attraction of wages six days a week is not sufficient to induce them to work. The solution is in foreign immigration."

There is no choice about it. The South must have foreign labor, whether or not it is preferable.

But the statement of the Register that the negroes are suffering from too much prosperity will hardly be credited at the North.—Times-Dispatch.

## Luckiest Man in Arkansas.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At T. E. Paull's, druggist. 50c and \$1 Trial bottle free.

## BRYAN CRITICISES CZAR.

New York, July 24—A cable dispatch to a morning paper from London says:

William J. Bryan said that he was sorry to see the Douma dissolved. Premier Campbell-Bannerman had happily expressed the situation when he paraphrased the old saying: "The Douma is dead; long live the Douma," meaning that whatever may happen to the personnel of the Douma, as an institution it still lives. Mr. Bryan added:

"I am satisfied there will be no backward steps, whatever the Czar may attempt to do. The recognition of the right of the people to self-government cannot be undone. I believe the Czar made a great mistake in ordering the dissolution. From my observation, the members of the Douma are men with purpose and possessing ample qualifications to deal with the necessities of their country. The Czar should have treated with the Douma."

Mr. Bryan insists that the visit of Col. Wm. Wetmore, of St. Louis, was not for the purpose of inducing him to give up the

idea of returning to the United States by way of New York. He said he would stick to his original itinerary. Mr. Wetmore will return with him.

A young man went to a preacher to get married, and the preacher asked "how old are you John?" He replied "I am half as old as my father. He is two years older than my mother. My eldest sister is two years older than my youngest sister. My youngest sister is four years older than my youngest brother." "How old are they altogether?" asked the preacher. The boy replied that the five children are seventeen years older than his father and mother. How old is John and each of the children and his father and mother?—Exchange. Well, if the young man isn't married until the preacher gets his age figured out, Methuselah would be a kid compared to him.

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## WANTED TO BE THIN.

St. Louis, Mo., July 24.—Miss Anna Gross, twenty-five years old, living with her brother, Adolph N. Gross 209 Magnolia avenue, died suddenly yesterday morning and an inquest was held in the coroner's office, resulting in the discovery that death was due to pickles and vinegar taken to remove her flesh.

Dr. A. J. Herman, who performed the autopsy, says in his report that the woman died of "hemorrhage of the stomach, with contributory septic poisoning." He said that death had been the result of the pickles and vinegar. It was found that the inner walls of the stomach were almost completely destroyed. Deputy Coroner Lloyd stated that he had never before seen the walls of a human stomach so thin.

Adolphus Goss, the brother, testified that Anna was a stout girl, and that she was very sensitive because of this fact, and that some time ago she began dieting to reduce her flesh. She ate pickles and drank vinegar in inordinate quantities, he said, and would eat no meat or heavy food.

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## WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's Happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

### GRADYVILLE.

Our people are wishing for more sunshine.

Several from this place attended the singing at Milltown last Sunday.

Woody Henderson visited the family of S. A. Harper one day last week.

Mrs. W. M. Wilmore was on the sick list a few days of last week.

Some of our citizens are bothered with chicken thieves.

Miss Irene Yates spent last Saturday and Sunday in Columbia.

Our farmers are about through with their hay, and there is certainly a fine lot of it in this section.

Miss Mollie Flowers returned home last week after a visit of several days in Columbia.

Our efficient shoemaker, Charles Sexton, has gone to Campbellsville for a few weeks work, and will return to this place in time to make all the Winter shoes.

Mrs. Ivy Lyons and daughter, of Campbellsville, spent a few days in our city last week with relatives.

M. Z. M. Staples and wife, and G. W. Robertson and mother, of Columbia, spent a few days visiting their relatives at this place.

Mr. James Hughes and Dr. R. Y. Hindman, of Columbia, passed through here last Thursday, en route for Sulphur Well, where they expect to spend a week or more.

Mrs. James H. Kinnard, of Red Lick, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Rowe at Burnside, for several weeks, passed through here Friday en route for home.

Hon. John D. White spoke here last Thursday to a very good audience, and his speech was given special attention.

Uncle Austin Carr, a respected old colored man in his 96th year, died on the 26th ult., with a complication of diseases.

Judge T. A. Murrell spent last Tuesday in our midst getting up evidence in pension claims.

Misses Nell Mercer and Doll Dohoney, of Milltown, spent last week with Mrs. R. L. Caldwell.

Mrs. Kate Hughes and Miss Carey, of Columbia, spent a few days last week with J. A. Diddle.

Mr. Isaac Landis, one of Green county's prosperous citizens, was here one has last week.

One of the heaviest rain storms ever known in this section visited us last Monday afternoon. For more than an hour the down pour was continuous and our little stream was made impassable for short time, while our land was washed considerable.

Miss Alice, an accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hindman, Blairtown, Mo., has been the guest of Miss Pearl Hindman the past two weeks.

On last Thursday evening at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Caldwell a large number of the society people gathered in honor of Misses Mercer and Dohoney, of Milltown. The evening was fine for such a moonlight party and this occasion was very pleasantly spent.

Uncle George Flowers has been troubled very much with rats during the this summer and informs us that he had discovered a new way of catching them. He uses baited fish hooks and in this manner has been very successful in stringing the rats.

Messrs. J. A. Diddle and G. F. Flowers, two of our business men, spent last Saturday and Sunday at Sulphur Well.

Mr. J. J. Hunter, mother and daughters attended the funeral of his brother, Ben, at Bradfordsville last Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. H. Nell daughter and son, of Columbia, were calling on their friends in our town last Friday.

### Fall Dead.

A man fell dead in Chicago the other day from heart trouble, and thousands die every day in the same way. But the cause of nine out of ten of such cases of heart trouble is indigestion. The cure is Dr. Caldwell's (taxative) Syrup Pepsin. The explanation is that the swollen, inflamed and engorged stomach, presses right up against the heart and prevents it from working your heart flutters, palpitates, pains and you are short of breath: some lose it forever. Just try for these symptoms, a few doses of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and see how quickly it will cure you. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, of Columbia, and Page and Moore Cane Valley at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

### BLISS.

The threshers are at work in our midst, and the crops are turning out very well.

P. V. Grissom, of your city, was at this place Tuesday.

R. E. Tandy is engaging hogs for August market at the market price less one cent. Hogs are scarce in our section.

Miss Hannah Penticuff, who has recently been confined to her room with a case of erysipelas, is now better.

Miss Levia Sandidge is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. McInteer, in Hart county. Will be there the rest of the Summer.

Farmers of this neighborhood have been busily engaged saving their hay crop. The crop has turned out real good.

Mrs. M. L. Grissom and child visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Flowers, at your city last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Agnes Conover, who has been right sick with typhoid fever, is getting along fairly well.

Mrs. T. R. Price is in a poor state of health, but we hope she may soon recover.

The hardest downpour of rain that ever occurred in this section came the first of the week, doing much damage. Corn and fences were laid low, and the ground was soaked through and through.

Mrs. Lizzie Thomas and her

son, James G. of the Pollard Chapel neighborhood, spent last Sunday pleasantly with the family of Jas. O. Grissom.

Prof. P. C. McCaffree went to Sulphur Springs, on Crocus creek Tuesday to stay there for awhile on account of his feeble health.

Mrs. Lizzie Pennington was very sick with cramp colic last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Murrell, of your city, was at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Hughes, for several days since.

Mrs. R. E. Tandy has taken possession of the mercantile business here, which she bought from C. M. Herriford. The storehouse was valued at \$225, and the invoicing of the stock of goods brought the value to, \$840.

S. T. Hughes sold a large oak tree to Robertson & Young for \$38.

Born, to the wife of S. T. Hughes, on Sunday the 22nd, a fine baby girl. Mother and child are doing nicely, and Tom is now all smiles.

G. Whit Flowers has an extra fine mare mule colt, the best one ever raised in this section.

At the residence of H. R. Thurman. Wednesday at 3 o'clock, Newton Smith and Miss Jennie Thurman were married, Rev. Sol Turpen, officiating.

C. M. Herriford, wife and little daughter, Lucile, were visiting at Burkesville several days since.

### MIAMI.

Miss Bettie Cundiff, who is teaching school in Adair County, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Lucian Durham and her son, Archie, attended the camp meeting at Glenwood last week.

Penick Smith, of Cane Valley, spent a day here recently.

Miss Quitley Dowdy is attending the institute at Greensburg. Ernest Rodgers, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Mrs. Bettie Yates, of South Carolina, is visiting her Aunt, Mrs. B. C. Wilson.

Miss Vivian Durham is visiting in Harrodsburg.

Mr. C. R. Penick has returned to his home in Stanford, Texas.

The heavy rain on the 23rd inst. did a great deal of damage here. C. R. and J. F. Cabell and Tilden Wilcox were the greatest losers, their loss estimated \$1,200.

Mrs. Flora Frazer and daughter, of Menden, La., Mrs. W. B. Patteson, Columbia, and Miss Bettie McCorkle, Anchorage, are visiting at the home of Mr. John F. Cabell.

### DIRIGO.

The school at this place is progressing nicely with H. E. Kinword teacher.

Wheat threshing is over in this community. The yield was very good.

Greene Muaphy, Sparkesville, was here last week buying cattle.

A very important change has been made in carrying the mail here. Dirigo is furnished from Breeding now instead of Chance, R. E. Strange was awarded the contract to carry the mail.

J. C. Roys sold one mule to Filden Wheeler for \$100.

Ed Stotts bought 46 acres of land from G. W. Stotts for \$125.

Walter Jones bought of G. C. McKinley one tract of land for \$100 and another from J. E. Cloywell for \$130.

Crit Yates drilled a well for J. J. England recently. Mr. England says he now has plenty of as good water as the county affords.

Mr. J. W. McKinley sold the staves split from one tree for \$23.50. I am inclined to believe that there are but few trees in Adair County at present that would beat the above tree.

J. E. Cloywell bought of Walter James one mule for \$100.

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President Roosevelt will keep hands off in the New York State fight, with the understanding that he is to be sent to the United States Senate from that state, according to leading politicians of New York City. The Higgins followers are angry over what they term a "throw down."

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